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Date: October 6, 2000

To: Karen Chandler

Re: Fire Station #9-Walnut Lawn

Gail Fangrow of Building Maintenance called me this morning and said he called Safety Kleen to pump out the sumps at this location.

CC: Marc Thornsberry, P.E., Dir. of Public Works/ Nick Heatherly, P.E., Building Development Services/ Bob Schaefer P.E., Asst. Director of Public Works/ Ed Malter, P.E., Supt. Of Sanitary Services/ Tom Holst, SWTP Supv./ file

450 W. Walnut Lawn

Memo

To: Miscellaneous Spill File
From: Karen Chandler
Date: October 5, 2000; 10:00 a.m.
Subject: Hydrogen Sulfide Odors in Fire Station #9

This morning Randy Lyman received a call from personnel at Fire Station #9 at 450 W Walnut Lawn about a hydrogen sulfide odor in the building. I borrowed a gas detector from Tom Shaw and went to the fire station. The firemen told me that the odor comes out of two sump pits in the floor of the garage and it gets worse when they run water into the drains. They also said they don't get it anywhere else in the building. I recalibrated the meter and checked both pits with it at 10:45 a.m. and got the following readings: O - 20.7; LEL - 0; CO - 0; and H₂S - 0. We talked about this odor and decided they need to get the pits pumped out. I told them that this had been done before, but the water in the pits had to be handled as a hazardous waste because of the metals. I also said I would call back when I had more details. They suggested I call Jim Martin, Ken Scott, or Chris Thompson.

October 5, 2000-This morning I called the fire station and talked to Randy. I told him that General Services had handled this before and they had to contract with Environmental Works to dispose of this water.


Karen Chandler
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cc: Randy Lyman, Pretreatment Coordinator

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